



# Lonergan University College

announces its Interdisciplinary Seminar for 1984-1985:

## The Works of Charles Darwin

Darwinian Man, though  
well-behaved, at best is  
only a monkey shaved!  
W.S. Gilbert (from Princess Ida)  
1884

Life can only be  
understood backward  
but it must be  
lived forward.  
Kierkegaard

How much doth  
the hideous  
monkey resemble  
us!  
Ennius 240-169 B.C.

If one way be  
better than  
another, that  
you may be sure  
is Nature's way.  
Aristotle (Nicomachean  
Ethics 1099B,23)

What a book a  
devil's chaplain  
might write on  
the clumsy,  
wasteful, blundering,  
low and horribly  
cruel works of  
nature.  
Darwin (to Hooker) 1856

I believe that our  
heavenly father  
invented man  
because He was  
disappointed in the  
monkey.  
Mark Twain (from Mark Twain  
in Eruption, edited by  
Bernard DeVoto) 1940

We are the products of editing, rather than authorship.  
George Wald (from The Origins of Optical Activity) 1957

Survival of the fittest whatever it might be  
supposed to mean... It is the fittest of all phrases  
to survive.  
8th Duke of Argyll 1898



The Party, the  
Government and  
J.V. Stalin personally,  
have taken an  
unflagging interest in  
the further development  
of the Michurin [anti-  
Mendel, anti-Darwin]  
teaching.  
T.D. Lysenko (to the Lenin  
Academy of Agricultural  
Sciences) 1948

I have noted in a  
Manchester newspaper  
a rather good squid,  
showing that I have  
proved that "might is  
right". And therefore  
that Napoleon is right  
and every cheating  
tradesman is also  
right.  
Darwin (to Lyell) May 4, 1860

We find no vestige  
of a beginning—  
no prospect of an  
end.  
James Hutton 1788

The Seminar, under the direction of Dr. David Oldroyd, Univ. of New South Wales, will include among its participants professors from the following departments: Applied Social Sciences, Chemistry, Communication Studies, English, Modern Languages, Philosophy, Psychology, Religious Studies, Sociology and Anthropology, and Theological Studies.

The Seminar (6 credits) is open to all Concordia students. We will begin by examining Darwin's texts, thoughts and pre-suppositions, and doubtlessly end by examining our own.

For further information, call Lonergan University College (482-0320 ext. 697) or drop in at the College (7302 Sherbrooke Street West, corner of West Broadway).